(Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.) APRIL 8, 1878. At the First Baptist church yesterday large number of persons who have been brought to a profession of faith during the revival there were received into the church,

and a number were baptized. Some six or eight were also admitted to the membership of the Washington-Street (Methodist Episcopal) church, and a number were received at the Market- and High-Street churches. While the revivals at some of the churches are still in progress, it is believed they are pretty well over. The result has been an unusually large increase of churchmembership. Mrs. Z. Cornwell, a lady of Prince

George county, in jumping from her buggy last week while the horse was running away, sustained a compound fracture of one of her legs, which it is feared will necessitate amputation.

Rev. Dr. Hains, rector of St. Paul's church, has just completed three years of his ministry at that church, and on Sunday congregation numbered 272 communicants. It has now 417. He has in three years baptized 165 persons, officiated at 51 funerals, purposes was \$15,000. Mr. William Cameron expects to leave to-

morrow for Paris to attend the Exposition. He will not return until the latter part of May, when, in company with several young men of this city, he will leave for Australia to look after his business in that quarter. All the lodges of Odd-Fellows in this city will be represented in the Grand Lodge of the State, which convenes in Richmond to-

The Council at its meeting this afternoon adopted an ordinance imposing and collecting taxes on licenses in Petersburg for the year commencing May 1, 1878. The changes from last year's ordinance are few and of little importance.

We have had no new announcements for office within the past few days. The peotle are quietly and with as much patience as possible awaiting the promulgation by the Executive Committee of the plan for the primary. It is believed that when this is announced, if the date of the election is not fixed at too early a day, a number of other candidates will come before the people. There are many who desire an early primary, and many who do not. The Executhe offices of High Constable, Commissioner of Revenue, and Commonwealth's Attorney. No opposition has been developed to Taxes, and City Gauger.

It is reported that Rev. Thomas Spencer, rector of St. John's church in this city, has consented to go to Japan as a missionary of the Episcopal Church. His friends deeply regret the idea of losing his services here. The Christian congregations of this city have under consideration a plan to evangelize the Petersburg district, in which there ence was held a night or two ago to discuss ticularly happy. After a good deal of parthe matter, but no definite action was taken. and that the Rev. L. R. Gault, of Kentucky, who has been preaching in Virginia for some time, will be made the evangelist. some days past-nothing of interest occur-

ring either in the news or business line. Judge Weisiger is holding the spring term of the Circuit Court in Dinwiddie chancery business is to be heard.

The receipts of cotton at this port last week aggregated about 250 bakes, and of tobacco about 100 hogsheads. The receipts of tobacco are confined just now mostly to John H. Trent, of Tennessee, 8. ROBIN ADAIR.

The Thom-Pitts Duel. (Raltimore Gazette of vesterday.) Dr. J. Pembroke Thom, of this city, uncle of Alfred P. Thom, of Northampton county, recent encounter at Eastville, and was himself severely wounded, returned from a visit to his nephew's home, near Eastville, on Saturday. Dr. Thom stated to a reporter of the Gazette that his nephew was slowly physicians (including his father, who is well-known practitioner) were of the opinion that his convalescence would be rapid. As soon as he is able to be an examination of the affair take place before a magistrate. His friends are confident of being able to show at this preliminary examination that the killing of Pitts was pect that bail will be taken and the accused eleased until the matter can be investigated by the grand jury. The greatest interest in the case has been aroused throughout both Northampton and Accomac counties, and Thom states that the accounts as published were correct, with the exception of some of persons, who had placed their claims in the hands of lawyers for collection, all of whom, hearing of his intention to leave the State, had taken proceedings to attach him serve the attachment, but the Sheriff was sick, and sent him to Acting Deputy-Sheriff Collona. The latter was keeper of the jail, and Pitts knew he had never qualified as deputy sheriff. Collona had gone down to the wharf, and Thom was forced to seek

him there. · When Pitts, knowing Collona's action was illegal, resisted, Thom was summoned as one of the posse to assist in making the arrest, and thus the impression was made on the mind of Pitts that Thom was following him with a vindictiveness unwarranted by his refusal to pay the trifling debt he owed the estate of which Thom was ad- unanimously resolved that the evidence Ex-Governor Moses, of South Carolina, ministrator. Pitts, during his stay in taken by the special committee sent last Baltimore and on the boat when he returned, made threats that he was going to cowhide Thom, and if he resisted would account for his being armed, it not being his this is to defeat O'Conner (Democrat) and locked up. He is charged with having gress. The Agence also states that the charcustom. When the two men met, Thom, as give Cain (negro Radical) the seat he now soon as Pitts began cursing him, gave evi- occupies. This looks as if a Democratic Moses will be taken to Charleston in a few the congress proposal. dence of being prepared to defend himself. This surprised Pitts, but he drew his revolver, and two shots were quickly exchanged. Pitts was not hit in the hand, as stated, and retired behind the house not to use the end of it to cock his pistol, but for the purpose of shelter. Thom, fearing Pitts would shoot him from cover, followed him up, and the second shots were exchanged, and both fell. Pitts lived a gay life, and was feared on account of his great strength, which made him a match for any bate of 1873 on the Pacific-railroad question | Moses, who is charged with forgery; that two ordinary men. He was frequently engaged in disputes. Thom, on the contrary, able and quiet disposition. The result of Blaine also advocated his emendment to the alleged forgery is that of a name upon an the investigation by the grand inquest will sinking-fund bill of the Judiciary Committee, which reads as follows. So long as the

BURNED TO DEATH.-Corning, N. Y., April 8.-An insane building connected with Steuben county poor-house was fired by a lunatic, who, with fourteen others, were burned to death. The iron grating to the windows prevented the escape of the to be established as aforesaid, such complivictims. There were sixty or seventy inmates. The details are blood-curdling. One
man was badly injured. Over forty were rescued, and several escaped. The scene presented by the charred remains and de thereof. bris is slokening in the extreme.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH. FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

PERSONAL ITEMS FROM WASHINGTON-WELLS WITHDRAWS WHAT WAS SAID IN CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS-GENE-RAL FIELD SWORN IN AS DOORKEEPER-HOUSE OF LORDS YESTERDAY: AN IN-TERESTING DISCUSSION BETWEEN LORDS of their endeavor. BEACONSFIELD, GRANVILLE, AND DER-BY-THE SITUATION IN THE EAST, &c., &c.

Washington. THE ABSORBING QUESTION IN WASHINGTON KEEPER OF THE HOUSE-SUCCESS OF GEN-ERAL FIELD-A DEMOCRATIC VICTORY-HOW GENERAL SHIELDS WAS REWARDED-MR. BLAIR'S PLAN TO UNSEAT HAYES AND SEAT TILDEN-BLAINE VS. THURMAN-THE TAX ON DEPOSITS OF STATE AND NATIONAL BANKS-THE INCOME TAX-VARIOUS ITEMS, for the Western district of Virginia.

[From Our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The absorbing question here to-day was the election of a gave to his congregation briefly the statis- doorkeeper, and the galleries of the House tics of his labors. When he took charge the and the passages leading to it were thronged with people anxious to witness the squabble over the position. Since the electoral quespaid 2,100 visits, and delivered 512 sermons tion was before Congress such interest and lectures. The amount raised by the among outsiders has hardly been manicongregation during that period for church fested. Yesterday and Saturday the Republicans were busy, and wanted first to defeat the Democratic nominee; and failing in this, to force the Democrats to vote against a Union soldier and for a Confederate. General Butler urged the claims of General Shields, and alluded pathetically to the gallant services of the hero of two wars. Mr. Frye, of Maine, endeavored to show that the Republicans did not reject General Shields when he was elected to Congress from Missouri because he was a Democrat, or because he was not elected, but for the reason that he was elected by fraud. How righteous was Radicalism in those days. Mr. Eugene Hale made

a characteristic speech. He always endeav-

ors to bite the Democracy about the legs.

Messrs. McMahon, Cox, Blackburn, Clytive Committee will have to decide the mat- duct was directly to the contrary. General not by a subsequent ordinance tax not affect Germany's interests, the entrance ter. The contest, as it now is, is confined to Butler alluded to the fact that in the dis- those bonds and withhold the amount of Russia into antagonism with other neighthe Mayor, Sergeant, Collector of City that he had always heard that he never got take the view that the charter was created in ring the war to hurt them. Mr. Bragg, of here exercised; in that the centract set up sary in the East, it was hoped that, in view on the retired list of the army at a salary of \$3,000 a year, and this was heartily responded to by the Democrats. General them without regular pastors. A confer- order. Mr. Cox, of New York, was par- case. It is suggested that he went for that liamentary skirmishing a vote was reached, It is probable that the plan will be adopted, and the names of the candidates, General Editor of the New York Times: Unwilling which would be taken of questions raised by Field and General Shields, being so much to do an injustice to any one I feel it a duty, alike, it was difficult to tell whom members in view of subsequent information, to with-The city has been remarkably quiet for were voting for. Every once in a while a Re- Louisiana affairs in regard to the Hon. R. publican would say with emphasis "General L. Gibson. Shields," and then a Democrat would cry out immediately afterwards, "General Field," county to-day. There are no criminal cases or "General Charles W. Field." There was on the docket, and but little other than a good deal of rejoicing among the Demo-Republicans, when the Chair announced the | bonds. result, as follows: Field, 123; Shields, 101;

A DEMOCRATIC TRIUMPH. . believing they would get the better of the at the city of Mexico. Democrats, but the sequel shows they were badly beaten, for no sooner was the elec- H. Freeman as postmaster of Lexington, Va., who killed Major Sidney Pitts in the tion of Field announced, and before they Va. bad time to shed crocodile tears over the defeat of a Union general, than Confederate gives Florida \$52,000, as follows: St. John's General John B. Clarke, of Missouri, offered a resolution placing General James Pensacola harbor, \$4,000. The bill will recovering. No fever had set in, and his Shields on the retired list of the United probably be amended in the Senate, giving States army with the rank and pay of a \$10,000 for the improvement of the St. brigadier-general. Hale, Frye & Co. saw John's between Hawkinsville and Lake they were badly sold, and the resolution about, a warrant, which has been sworn was adopted with only six votes in the nega- XLVTH CONGRESS--Second Session. out for his arrest, will be served, and tive. This will be concurred in by the Republican Senate, and General Shields will enjoy for the rest of his life a yearly salary of over \$3,000. The Democratic members done in self-defence, and consequently ex- of the House have not looked as happy this session as they did after this well-timed. patriotic performance.

MR. HEWITT AND MR. BLAIR. John Jasper is not more persistent la his persons have driven tifty miles to Eastville | theory that the sun moves around the earth to learn the particulars of the shooting. Dr. than Mr. Blair is in his effort to unseat of Massachusetts. Clymer of Pennsylva-Hayes and seat Tilden. Mr. Hewitt says, nia, Cox of New York, Blackburn of Kenhowever, to-day that he will not vote for a tucky, and McMahon of Ohio; at the conof the presence of Thom at the wharf when bill to establish a tribunal as is proposed to clusion of which Mr. Clymer, of Pennsyl-Pitts left the county to come to Baltimore. It try this question, but he would give Mr. of Georgia; Mr. Butler, of Massachusetts, seems that Pitts was indebted to a number | Tilden an opportunity, if he desires it, to nominated James Shields, of Missouri; and test his right to the presidency. He adds, Mr. Randolph, of Tennessee, nominated however, that he does not believe that Mr. John H. Trent, of Tennessee. The vote Tilden has any connection whatever with being taken resulted as follows: Field, as an absconding debtor. Thom went to the move which Mr. Blair has inaugurated. Field was thereupon declared elected, and cate a determination to prepare thoroughly Sheriff Leonard Nottingham to get him to General Banks and other leading Republi- was sworn in, taking the modified oath. cans think Judge Blair is backed by Democrats of prominence and influence.

A NEGRO CONGRESSMAN HAPPY. It has been believed that the South Caro-lina contested case of Cain vs. O'Conner nays, 6. The negative votes were cast by would be sent back to the people by the Messrs. Randolph, of Tennessee; Acklen, Election Committee of the House, but this of Louisiana; White and O'Neil, of Pennmorning, after speeches by Messrs. Payne, of Washington, and O'Conner, contestant, and Cain's colored lawyer, on motion of Mr. Turney (Democrat), the committee session to South Carolina shall not be admitted as evidence in this case, as was Franklin J. Moses, Jr., of South Carolina, sia has threatened to oppose the discussion urged by the contestants. The effect of was arrested on Broadway last night and of the Bessarabian question by the concommittee can do even a black Republican days.

BLAINE AND THURMAN. The announcement that Mr. Blaine was to attack the consistency of Senator Thurman did not draw a crowd such as attended the election of doorkeeper of the House; but this did not prevent the Senator from Maine from reading copiously from the deto show that Mr. Thurman's position then no warrant from the Governor of New York was antagonistic to what it is now. Mr. accompanied said requisition, and that the tee, which reads as follows: So long as the | counsel telegraphed to Governor Robinson, Central Pacific and Union Pacific roads shall of New York, who replied, asking if to-day Lord Beacons and pacific control of New York, who replied, asking if to-day Lord Beacons and the Company's pacific control of the Company's pa faithfully comply with the provisions of said Moses's alleged forgery of the name upon of the Government's past policy, criticised acts of 1862 and 1864, and of this act relating to payment to the United States on account of bonds advanced and of the circles and if any pecuniary obligation was created.

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ripestatesmanship and solid ability are too [ much for the bravado and shrewdness of the model American demagogue.

THE TAX ON BANK DEPOSITE. Major Daniel, General Echols, and Dr. George Marsland of New York, were be-WELLS HAD A STORMY INTERVIEW WITH fore the sub-Committee of Ways and Means \$4,000. SHERMAN BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE- of the House this morning, seeking to impress it with the importance of repealing ly by fire. the tax on deposits of State and national banks. They believe this will excite larger investments in banking, diminish the prevailing rates of interest, and stimulate enterprise by unlocking money, and enable POSTAL PARTY EN ROUTE FROM JACK- the people to borrow it more cheaply. SONVILLE-NEWS FROM ABROAD-IN THE | These gentlemen think there may be delay, but predict the ultimate and certain success

THE INCOME TAX. The Ways and Means Committee did not to-day, as was expected, consider the income-tax bill, owing to the absence of certain members very much interested in the YESTERDAY WAS THE ELECTION OF DOOR- subject. It will, however, be taken up on Wednesday.

THE WESTERN MARSHALSHIP. Ex-Senator Lewis arrived here to-night, and his friends say they are confident of terested must apply to these authorities to his appointment as United States marshal BRIEF ITEMS.

Mrs. Hayes returned to-day from Ohio, and Secretary Sherman has gone to New York to put four-per-cent, bonds on the market. The nomination of Mr. Colburn, the Washington correspondent of the New

of Mexico, is a compliment to journalism. The colored Jubilee Singers sang in the rotunda of the Capitol to-day. General Hunton to-day said General Field not to renounce his allegiance to the United

States.

treets were crowded. of Washington the other day he took off his of war. hat reverentially, and was outraged that men stood with their hats on in the presence Great Britain at the congress, returned to of departed greatness.

[Associated Press reports by telegraph to the Dispatch.

SUPREME COURT DECISION. WASHINGTON, April 8 .- Supreme Court-VARIOUS ITEMS.

Governor Madison Wells had a somewhat stormy interview with Sherman before his Butler, however, said the late doorkeeper departure. Sherman's absence may delay knew enough to know that was then out of action in the New Orleans custom-house

The following letter is printed: To the draw what was contained in my letter upon

[Signed] J. MADISON WELLS. Professor Riley, of Missouri, accepts the position of entomologist of the Agricultural

Department. Secretary Sherman has gone to New York crats, and not a little chagrin among the for several days to place the four-per-cent.

The new counterfeit dollar can only be detected by weight. It contains sixtyeight grains less silver than the genuine. The President has nominated Justin E. The Republicans commenced the fight Colburn, of Vermont, to be Consul-General

The confirmations by the Senate were unimportant. Among them was that of John

The river and harbor bill as reported bar, \$10,000; Cedar Keys, \$20,000; Chactawhatchee, \$10,000; Apalachicola, \$3,000; Monroe.

WASHINGTON, April S, 1878: SENATE. The discussion of the Pacific railroad

funding bill was continued. No vote. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Immediately after the reading of the journal the House proceeded to the consideration of the resolution offered Friday by Mr. Butler, of Massachusetts, nominating for doorkeeper of the House General James Shields. A long and exciting debate followed, participated in by Messrs. Butler 123; Shields, 101; Trent, 8. Charles W.

Mr. Clarke, of Missouri, moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill authorizing the President to appoint James Shields a Brigadier-General upon the retired list of sylvania, and Jones and Cox, of Ohio. The post-office appropriation bill, appropriating \$34,000,000, was reported and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Adjourned.

ARRESTED IN NEW YORK FOR FORGERY. NEW YORK, April 8 .- Ex-Governor

NEW YORK, April 8 .- Ex-Governor Moses, of South Carolina, is still confined at police headquarters. He has engaged counsel, who presented to Judge Donohue a petition for a habeas corpus, returnable to-morrow. The petition states that the prisoner has been arrested on a requisition purporting to be from his Excellency Wade Hampton, of South Carolina, on the Governor of New York for the body of said

Movements of the Postal Party. The steamer Agnes bad seven passengers, who are now encamped on the beach, showed that the possession of Bessarabia Mr. Thurman followed, and showed that The steamer went ashore at high-tide.

Georgia. PIRE IN FORSYTH.

Macon, April 8 .- A fire at Forsyth las night destroyed the only remaining hotel and three storebouses. The telegraph office was burned, but has been reopened. The losses aggregate \$13,000. Insurance about The fire was accidental.

Three weeks ago Forsyth suffered severe

Massachusetts.

BANK FAILURES. Boston, April 8 .- The Well Fleet (Mas-\$422,163, and the South Boston Savings but maintained. Bank, with deposits of \$1,565,962, finding themselves unable to meet the demands of

HAVANA, April 8 .- The Official Gazette has published a decree by the Captain-General directing that, in compliance with the proclamation of the 28th March, restoration to its owners of all property embargoed for political offences shall commence immediately. Orders have been given accordingly to the Director of Finance and all Governors of the Island. Persons inobtain their property.

LATEST FOREIGN NEWS.

The Eastern Question. London, April 8 .- The debate this week the proclamation calling out reserves is expected to finally determine England's policy. The Government can unquestionably rely on a large majority in their favor on the York Times, as Consul-General to the City main issue of acknowleding or resisting Russian supremacy in Turkey, established by the treaty of San Stefano. It is claimed on all hands, except in purely partisan discussion, that the Cabinet is sincerely desirous to avoid war, but it is not went to Egypt under a contract that he was | believed that they are likely to meet the latest Russian proposal with a liberal acceptance-that is, by the presentation of counter-propositions. The withdrawal of The weather to-day was beautiful and the the treaty of San Stefano or its unconditional submission to the judgment of Eu-When the Count Joannes visited the tomb | rope are regarded as the only alternatives Lord Lyons, the British ambassador at

Paris, who was designated to represent that city on Saturday; which is conceded to indicate that no great hope is felt of the speedy meeting of the congress. The feeling at Berlin is still sanguine, though there are no new facts to confirm it. The belief Murray vs. The City of Charleston-error to in a peaceful solution seems to rest solely the Supreme Court of South Carolina. In on the expectation that Russia will yield this case the court holds that no municipal- not only on the question of the submisity of a State can, by ordinance, under guise | sion of the treaty to the Powers, but mer, and Bragg answered the Republican of taxation, relieve itself from performing on England's and Austria's essential obadvocates of General Shields, and showed to the letter all that it has expressly prom- jections to the treaty. Some disquiet how hypocritical were the pretences that ised to its creditors. Hence the city of is occasioned at Vienna by an article they are the friends of Union soldiers, six per cent. interest on certain of day referring to the treaty, which, afciting notable instances in which their con- its bonds to the holders thereof, could ter pointing out that though the treaty does charge of his duty he had hanged a man in New Orleans, and Mr. Blackburn replied Mr. Justice Strong delivered the opinion. matter of indifference, and that Russia could New Orleans, and Mr. Blackburn replied Dissenting, Justices Miller and Hunt, who only purchase its complete fulfilment by another war, and said that as England and near enough to any other Confederates du- 1781, before the Constitution gave the power | Austria admit that great changes are neces-Wisconsin, proposed to place General Shields on the retired list of the army at a salary was made subject to it, and is not therefore impaired by the action of the city. upper hand.

The Norddeutsche Zeitung, hitherto consistly pro-Russian, lectures both Russia and Austria sharply for not concerting an agreement about peace while the war continued. It says: "Though the Powers are agreed in principle Russia has fettered herself by the treaty of San Stefano instead of informing herself beforehand of the various views it, while England and Austria have rendered their position still more difficult by now putting forward solemn international protests instead of formulating their conditions and reservations before the fall of Plevna." Nevertheless, the Norddeutsche Zeitung hopes that in the view of the general desire for peace, an understanding will yet be reached. This article caused a sudden sensation of warlike utferances by the Austrian semi-official press. The Ministerial Montags Revue, issued last night, states that hope of a personal settlement was justitled by the fact that Prince Bismarck is earnestly exerting himself to prevent a Eu-

ropean conflict. Several unofficial Vienna papers-as the New Free Press, Tagblatt, and Morgen Post-express the opinion that this is an attempt to make Austria participate in the mistake of San Stefano, and indicate that Prince Bismarck's desire is to bully Austria into a settlement with Russia. The language of these journals is very bitter

against the German chancellor. LONDON, April 8 .- Constantinople advices are conflicting. Some say Vefyk Pasha, president of Council and Minister of the Interior, is about to retire on account of illness, and others say that he will be forced to retire, and will be succeeded by Reouf Pasha, now War Minister, while Osman Pasha will succeed Reouf, both being in sympathy with Russia. One set of dispatches say a bona fide return home of Russian troops has commenced; another that only the depleted regiments are sent home to recruit, whose posi-

tions are immediately filled by fresh troops from the North. However, the general impression of the news seems less pro-Russian than of late, and there is a feeling here and in the European colony at Constantinople that the dislike of the Turkish people for Russia is so great that the palace and pashas would not dare to venture on a Russian alliance even if they wished to. London, April 8 .- A telegram from Cal-

cutta points out the fact that from the Benvania, put in nomination Charles W. Field, gal cavalry alone it would be possible to and assimilation. draw 10,000 men without the slightest detriment to the Indian service. They are infinitely superior to the Cossacks in training, equipment, and organization.

The movements of the Russian forces on the Danube and in Roumania seem to indiagainst the contingency of an Austrian attack in the rear. All the passes over the Carpathians practicable for artillery and trains are covered by the positions which the Russians have just occupied.

Telegrams from Silistria and Rustchuk say that the Russian troops are constantly moving from Bulgaria into Roumania. The Roumanians are stated to be comparatively quiet again. The Government having successfully used Premier Bratianos's absence to secure the postponement of action, is about to protest against the treaty of San Stefano.

Large shipments of specie from Dortmound, Prussia, into Russia are reported. St. Petersburg, April 8 .- The Agence Russe says it is anthorized to deny that Rusforged the name of J. Woodruff for \$316, acter of the latest news encourages the beand passing the same upon James Allen. lief of the possibility of the resumption of

England.

LONDON, April 8.—In the House of Lords Lord Beaconsfield moved an address of thanks to the Queen for her Majesty's message calling out the reserves, and followed it with a speech of over an hour's duration. which was repeatedly cheered. A report from the lobby says that the Lords will undoubtedly vote the address unanimously. Sir Stafford Northcote, Chancellor of the Exchequer, moved the address in the House of Commons and made a speech. He was followed by Mr. Gladstone. THE SAN STEFANO TREATY AND THE GOVERN

MENT'S PAST POLICY CRITICISED BY LORDS BEACONSFIELD, GRANVILLE, AND DERBY. LONDON, April 8 .- In the House of Lords ticle of the treaty was a deviation from the treaties of 1856 and 1871 he ever brought to this city. The latest spring styles in have been regarded as suggestions. He was not of trifling local interest. Lord |

Palmersten had strongly insisted upon its ession to Roumania as involving the independent navigation of the Danube. The congress could not take place after Russia's refusal to conform to her previous engagements to the treaty of Paris. He pointed out various ways in which the existing

situation in the East Imperilled the British empire. The Egyptians once threatened Constantinople. There was consequently no reason why the Russians might not march to the Suez canal. He could not conceive why England should not be fitted when all the Powers were arming. The sachusetts) Savings Bank, with deposits of British Empire must not only be enjoyed,

their depositors, have been placed under he would not commit himself or his friends the restrictions of the new savings-bank in the present question, but would leave

existence of an emergency justifying the calling out of the reserves. The only conceivable motive for haste-of which, however, he would not accuse the Government-was to take advantage of the warfeeling in the country. Even an Austrian alliance was very doubtful, and all the other Powers were certain to stand aloof. on the address of the Queen in answer to Why, under these circumstances, should England be not drifting but rushing into a

crease of the army did not justify Lord Derby's inference. Earl Carnarvon and Lord Salisbury's dispatch shows that if England entered corgress she would do so with her hand upon the sword.

The Duke of Argyle avowed the belief that the country was being led to a conclusion which was concealed from Parliament. The Marquis of Salisbury declared his sentiments were the same as at the time of the Constantinople conference. He did not conour in the idea that Russia only could establish good government in Turkish provinces. The Constantinople conference indicated ample security for good government without lestroying the authority of the Porte. - The Government's preparations were precautionary, not warlike. He believed he had grounds for hoping that war would be avoided. If, however, war should arise, he hoped patriotism would carry the country safely through it. The address to the Queen was agreed to without a division.

THE SITUATION DISCUSSED IN COMMONS. LONDON, April 8 .- In the House of Commons Sir Stafford Northcote, proposing an address thanking the Queen for her proclamation, said the calling out of the reserves was not intended to alarm the country by leading it to believe that the circumstances were of great national peril. They were, however, such as rendered it necessary to put the army in a condition for use without delay. The tone adopted by the speaker was studiously moderate. He said he believed that even now Russia, on calmer consideration, would accede to England's views. If, however, England were denied the opportunity of participating in a general European settlement, it was the duty of the Government to see that the interests of England were unharmed.

Mr. Gladstone said he did not intend to contest the address by offering an amend- ranging from \$1.80 to \$13.25. ment, because the vote of the supplemental estimates would afford a better opportunity. In discussing the policy of the Government's armament, the Chancellor of Exchequer failed to show the existence of an emergency justifying calling out of reserves. Mr. Gladstone urged the acceptance of Germany's proposal for a preliminary conference. Lord Salisbury's dispatch stated the case in a continuous method that only the meanest attorney would resort to. Mr. Gatheme Hardy, Secretary for India, said the people should not be too hasty in concluding that England was isolated. There were deep interests involved, and he ventured to say Lord Salisbury's circular would win over others to England's views. It was impossible that any English minister could ever desire war, but it was right to show that England would not allow herself to be trodden upon or dishonored by the greatest power in the world. The debate was adjourned until to-morrow night. SATISFACTION DEMANDED FOR A RUSSIAN OUT-

RAGE. CONSTANTINOPLE, April 8 .- Mr. Layard. the British ambassador, has received a report from Mr. Reade, the British consul at Rustchuk, claiming satisfaction from the Russian Government for an outrage committed by Russian troops on entering the consulate there and taking possession of its archives, notwithstanding the British flag was hoisted over the building at the time.

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RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE. MONDAY, April 8, 1878.

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Sales.—1,000 Petersburg 85 at 104.

American Gaid.—100% bid.

State Sacuritics.—Virginia consols, 59% bid, 60 asked: Virginia tondols, 27 bid; Virginia deferred. 4% bid, 4% asked; Virginia interest certificates, 5 bid; Virginia tux-receivable coupons, 83 bid. 84 asked.

City Securities.—Richmond city 8's, 117 bid: Richmond city 6's, 102 bid. 103 asked: Petersburg city 8's, 194% bid, 104% asked; Petersburg city 8's, 194% bid, 104% asked; Petersburg city 8's, special, 106 bid: Lynchburg city 6's, 97 bid; Norfolk city 6's, 93 bid. 95 asked: Fredericksburg city 7's, 100 bid; Manchester 8's (tax-receivable), 88% bid, 91 asked. Railroad Bonds .- Virginia Central Railroad ars

but maintained.

Lord Granville criticised the details of the Government's past policy, but declared he would not commit himself or his friends in the present question, but would leave the Government to their own responsibility. Upon a general review of the situation he drew conclusions favorable to pence.

Lord Derby denied that calling out the reserves was the sole or principal cause of his difference with his late colleagues. He said matters at present were at a dead-lock, where neither side would give way for fear of the loss of dignity. He for one would not press matters at this moment and increase groundless irritation. He denied the existence of an emergency justifying the loss of large the loss of an emergency justifying the loss of large the loss of an emergency justifying the loss of an emergency justifying the loss of large the loss of an emergency justifying the loss of large the large of large the loss of large the loss of large the large of large of large of large the large of large of

Railroad, 100 par, 31 bid; Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad common, 100 par, 50 bid; 75 asked; Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad six per cent. guaranteed, 100 par, 80 bid; Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad seven per cent. guaranteed, 100 par. 93% bid; Richmond and Danville Railroad, 100 par. 93% bid; Richmond and Danville Railroad, 100 par, 2 bid. Bank Stocks .- National Bank of Virginia, 100

par, 83 asked; State Bank of Virginia, 100 par, 75 bid; Union Bank of Richmond, 50 par, 42 bid, 45 asked; Merchanks and Planters Sawings, 25 par, 184 bid; Citizens Savings, 25 par, 22 asked. purposeless war? He admitted that circumstances might force England into a war, but at present he could see no ground therefor:

Lord Cairns said the smallness of the ingrease of the army did not justify Lord

18% on; Citizens Savings, 25 par, 22 asked.

Insurance Companies.—Virginia State, 25 par, 28 bid; Virginia Home, 100 par, 105 asked; Merchants and Mechanics, 100 par, 85 bid, 90 asked; Cay, 100 par, 77 bid; Grante Insurance Company, 100 par, 78½ bid, 90 asked.

By Telegraph.

NEW YORK. New York. April 8.—Gold opened at 100%.
Noon.—Stocks about steady Money on call, 6 per cent. Gold, 100%. Exchange—Long, 486%; short, 489. State bonds quiet. Governments firm.
Evening.—Money active at 7 per cent. Sterling firm at 486%. Gold, 100%. Governments weaker; new 5's 104%. States dull.

\* BALTIMORE. BALTIMORE, April S.-Virginia 6's, old, 22; deferred, 4's; consolidate', 59%; second series, 32.
North Carolina 6's (old), 15; new, 8. Bid to-day.

COMMERCIAL.

CORN AND FLOUR EXCHANGE RICHMOND, April 8, 1878. OFFERINGS REPORTED TO SECRETARY.

WHEAT .- White, 450 bushels. Red, 1,052 bush CORN .- White. 640 bushels. SALES REPORTED TO SECRETARY. WHEAT .- White, 244 bushels prime at \$1.37; 50

WHEAT.—White, 244 bushels prime at \$1.37; 56 bushels very good at \$1.35; 22 bushels common at at \$1.20: 42 bushels rime at \$1.38-total, 364 bushels. Red. 74 bushels prime Lancaster at \$1.38; 200 bushels mixed on private terms; 24 bushels at \$1.18; 100 bushels very good Fultz at \$1.25; 20 bushels mixed at \$1.30; 82 bushels mixed at \$1.25; 20 bushels mixed at \$1.30; 82 bushels mixed at \$1.28; 40 bushels very good Lancaster on brivate terms; 12 bushels mixed at \$1.30; 186 bushels fair Fultz on private terms; 44 bushels very good Faltz on private terms; 66 bushels prime Larcaster at \$1.38; 42 bushels mixed at \$1.28; 28 bushels very good Fultz at \$1.25-total, 918 bushels.

COEN.—White, 150 bushels on private terms; 190 bushels prime at 55c.—total, 340 bushels.

OATS.—74 bushels very good spring at 36c. OATS .- 74 bushels very good spring at 36c.

Fine. \$4: superfine, \$4.75@\$5: extra superfine. \$5.75: common family, \$6.25@\$6.50; faney family and City Mills, \$7@\$7.50. Market little active. RICHMOND TOBACCO EXCHANGE

MONDAY, April 8, 1878. The preaks to-day comprised 199 hogsheads, tierce, and 14 boxes. The offerings at auction on Change were 33 packages; of which number 20 were taken in, and the remainder sold at prices

RICHMOND MARKETS. MONDAY, April 8, 1878. Country Produce. Apples: Virginia and North Carolina, \$2.50@ singr. 23e 3 D.

Beeswax: 23c. 3 b.
Butter: Prime to choice yellow, 25@27c.; fair to
good, 15@20c.
Corn Meal: 60c. 3 bushel for country. Corn Mett.: OUC, p disher for country.
Drued Fruit: Apples. 3@40.; Dis.: peaches.
peeled. 7@80; unpeeled. 3@45c.; cherres, 10@
11c. 7 b.; blackberries, 6c.
Eggs: In burrets. 8c. 72 dozen: in crates. 8@9c.
Feathers: Prime uve-goose. 35@15c.; com-

Flaxseed: \$1 % bushel. Hay: Virginia timothy, 70@85c.; clover, 70@ 75c. Oats: Bale?. 65@70c. Potatoes: frish. 3 barrel, \$1.25@\$1.50. Lard: Country, 7@8c.

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Rye: 60c. B bushet

Seeds: Clover. \$5.75@\$6; timothy, \$2@\$2.25;
orchard-grass, \$1@\$1.25; herds-grass, \$1@\$1.25.

Sumac: 75c. &\$1.25, according to Gazaty.

Baled Strase: 40@45c.

Tullow: 64c. B b.

Woot: Washed. 30@33c.; unwashed. 20@23c.

Burry wool with bring from 3 to 5c. B b less than

above rates. Cement, Lime, Plaster, &c. Cement: Rose state, \$1.65@\$1.75 \$ barrel; James River, \$1.60@\$1.70.

Kiver, \$1.60 (2) 1.70. Lime: Astronutural, 10c. Pa bashel; Rockland, \$1.10 (2) \$1.25. according to quantity. Plaster: Lump, \$4(2) 4.25; ground, \$7.50 (2) \$8, delivered; calcined plaster, \$2 (2) \$2.25. Tar: Large size, \$3.25 (2) \$3.50. Dry Goods. Brown Sheetings and Shirtings: 4-4 Manches

ter, 6c; ½ Manchester, 5½c; 4 Manchester, 4½c; 4-4 James River, 6c; ½ James River, 5½c; 4 James River, 5½c; 3 James River, 4½c; 4-4 Graniteville, 7½c; ¾ Graniteville, 7c; 4-4 Rockbridge, 6½c; ½ Rockbride, 5½c; 4-4 W. Conestoga, 7½c; 2 G. Conestoga, 6½c; 5 D. Conestoga, 6½c; 10-4 Peperill, 27½c; 10-4 City, 92½c; Catton-varus, 84. Conestora, 6½c.; 10-4 Peperill, 27½c.; 10-4 City, 22½c.; Cotton-yarus, §1.

Eleached Shirthnas and Shectings: 4-4 Wamsutta, 11½c.; 4-4 Ausonville, 9½c.; 4-4 Rockdale, 9c.; 4-4 Hone, 9½c.; 4-4 Onelda, 10c.; 4-4 Avondale, 7c.; 4-4 Social, 7c.; 4-4 Amoskens, 9½c.; Whitestone, 9½c.; ½ Barusley, 5½c.; ½ Red Dog, 6c.; B. ½ Senbate, 7c.; Menman, 5c. Peterborough, 5c.; 10-4 Waitham, 25c.; 10-4 City Mills, 22½c.

Brawn Britts: Petersburg, 6½c.; Graniteville, 8c.; Rockbridge, A. Syc.; AA, 92c.

Brown Brills: Petershurg, 65c.; Grantevine
8c.; Rockbridge, A. Syc.; AA. 9c.
Corset Jeans: Pavonta, Sc.; Amoskeag 10c.; Baltowell, 9c.
Denims: Harlem, 12%c.; Boston Steam Mills, 85d.
Prints: American, 5%c.; Allen's, 5%c.; Rechmond, 5%c.; Sprague, 5c.; Manchester, 5%c.; Washington, 5%c.; Hamilton, 5%c.; Merronack, 5%c.; Malory, 6c.; Oriental, Pacific, 5%c.; Arnold, 5%c.; Harmony, 5c.; Wamsutta, 4%c.
Cambries: Rice, 5%c.; English, 5c.

Drugs, Dyestutis, Oils, &c. Alum: 6c. Alcohol: \$2.60 B gallon. Concentrated Lye: \$3.50@A4 B case of four

Concentratea Lye: \$3.50@44 % case of four doven.
Copperas: 2½c.
Cochineat: 90c. % %.
Extract of Logwood: 1&c.
Indigo: \$1.10.
Madder: 12½c.
Otts: Linseed. 75c.: machine. \$1@\$1.75; sperm.
\$2; whate. 75c.; straits. 50@35c.; Labrador-cod off. 65@70c.; lard, 75c.; sweet. \$6 % oozen: best salad. \$8.50; castor. \$1.40 % gallon: Virgins luorication. 30@50c.; kerosene. 16c., cash. % gallon.
Race Ginger: 12c. Race Ginger: 12c. Roots: Ginseng, 90c.; seneca, without top, 35@ 45c. Soda: Sal., 24@24c., in kegs; English soda, 5c.: American, 34@4c. Spirits Turpentine: 45c.

Foreign Fruits and Candy Candy: 13@14c. P. D. Lemons: Messina. \$4.50@\$5 B box. Granges: Boxes, \$5@\$5.50; cases, \$10@\$13.

Grocertes. &c. Bacon: Shoulders, 54:06c.; clear rib-sides, 6%; 7c.; ribbed, 6%; Virginia shoulders, 5%; 66c.; Virginia hog-round, 70:7%;; Virginia hams, large, 7%; 8c.; small, 90:19c.; sugar-cured, uncanvased, 7k@8e.; small. 9@19e.; sugar-cured. uncanvased, l1c.; plain hams. 10½c.

Buckets: Painted. two hoops, \$1.40@\$1.50; three hoops, \$1.75@\$1.85.

Brooms: Two \$strings, \$1.40@\$1.60; three strings, \$1.75@\$3: four strings, \$3@\$4.59.

Coffee: Rio—Common. 15½@16c.; fair, 17@ 17½c.; good to prime 18@19c.; Laguayra, 18@ 19c.; Java, 28@30c.

Candler: Adamantine candles. 12½@13c. \$ set; 16½@17c. \$2 th.; halt-boxes, 13e.; tallow, 14c.

Cheese: Prime cutting, 14½@15c.; northern and western prime cutting, 13c.; common, 10@11c.;

Cheese: Prime cutting, 13c.; common, 10@11c.; English dairy, 18@20c.; Pineapple, 25c. Rice: Carolina, 75@8c.; Rangoon, 6c. Fish: Herrings—North Carolina No. 1 cut, \$4.50 @\$5; North Carolina cross, \$4.50@\$4.75; Eastern gross, \$2.50@\$3; North Carolina roe in half-bar rels, \$4@\$4.50. Mackerel—No. 1 Bay, \$15@\$17; No. 2, in barrels, \$9.50@\$10; No. 3 mackerel, \$7.50@\$5; No. 1, in kits, \$2.50; No. 2, in kits, \$2; No. 3, \$1.50. Mess shad, in kits, \$3.50 and therees, \$4@84.50. Mackerel—No. 2, in kits, \$2.50; No. 2, in kits, \$2.50; No. 3, in kits, \$3.50 and therees, \$4.684.50.

\$1.50. Mess shad, in kits, \$3.

Lard: Prime. barreis and tierces, 84@8½c. in half-barrels, 84@9c.

motasses: Common syrup—Hogsheads, 24c.; tierces, 25c.; barrels, 26c.; genuine rowen syrup, 45@55c. \$25c. barilou; New Orleans, prime, 40@55c. Satt: Liverpool, from store, \$1.35. Ground alum, from store, \$5c. \$3 sack.

Sugar: Crushed, 11½c.; bowdered, 10½c.; granulated, 10½c.; A, 9½@9½c.; B, 9c.; extra C, 81@9c.; yenow. 8@3½c.; cut loaf, 11c., Porto Rico, Demerar, 10@10½c. Denerara, 10@10%c.
Soap: Common, 5@7c.; best washing, 7%@8c.; toilet\_15@20c.; and fancy prices; country, 4@5c.
Tuts: Black, 55c.@\$1.—the last a prime article: 1, \$1.10@\$1.60; gunpowder, \$1.45@1.75

for strictly choice.
Hides, Leather, &c. Hides: Green. 4@5c.; dry salted. 12@13c.; dry fint. 14@16c.; wet salted, 7%@8c.; wet salted calf-skins, \$1.15@\$1.35. Leather: Sole leather. oak, 33@40c.: sole leather Leather: Sole leather, oat, 35,2240c., sole leather, hemioch, 18,25c.; country upper. 30,250c.; city finish, 18,22c. \$ 100t; kip, 40c., 25 p. h.; harness, country, 28,33; city finish, 32,238c. \$ fb.; salf-skins, Freuch. \$1.15,22.25 p. h.; rough skirting, 26,30c.

fron, Steel, Nails, &c. Iron: Steel, Nails, &c.

Iron: American refined, Old Dominion, 2 1-10
@2 3-10c. & ib.; English and American sheet, 3@
5c.; Swedes, kammered, 5%c.; hoop, 4@6; Pigiron: Virginia coai-blast charcoal, \$28@\$32
warm-blast charcoal, \$24@\$28; Pennayivania anthractic. \$20@\$22; West Virginia coke, \$21@\$23.

Horseshoes: \$4.50@\$4.75 per keg.

Muleshoes: \$5.75 per keg.

Naits: Old Dominion, \$2.60 per keg for stagdard—that is, ten-ponny; lottler \$20\$ extra.

Plough-Castings: Wholeshe, \$6466; retail.

5%@6c. & b.

ves: Whiskey-barrel tunber green, \$126320 % or seasoned; \$206325 % 1.000. Finit-barres er, \$6637.50 % 1.000. Flour-barres note, \$7

Licorice Pouts; J. C.& Co., 31e.: R. H., Mac. A. O. C., 23c.; K. & Co., 24c.; P. N., 25c.; Anchor 27c.; A. C. C., 26c.; G. v G., 28c.; G. C. Esgle 29c.; c. c. W., 19c.; no brand, 17c. Liquors. Wines. &c.

Ale: Scotch, best brands, pints \$20000.25 Ale: Scotch, Dest brands, pints \$2222.25 decren, sold.

Brandles: Domestic, \$1.25@\$2; frur, \$1,10@\$1.40; annie, new. \$1.75@\$2; old, \$2.25@\$3; Virginia peach. \$228\$2.50;

Rys Whiskeys: Medium, \$1.50@\$2; core cld, \$2.6\$4; Virginia mountain, new. \$2.352.50; cld. \$2.50@\$3.50 and upwards.

Gin: Domestic, \$1.25@\$2; imported, \$2.50@\$2.50;

Rectified Whiskeys: Market quiet; proof, \$1.20.

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Powder, Shot, &c. Fuse: Toy's mining, 35c,@\$1.25 B 100 feet, Powder: \$5.75 by the five keys—less than free keys, \$6.25; blasting, \$3.25@\$3.50. Shot: Northern, \$2.10@\$2.25 B bag o; 25 bs. Grindstones: 12@28c, B b. Mill-Feed.

Ehipstuff: 35@40c. 3 bushet; \$20 3 ton. Brownstuff: 27@30c. 3 bushet: \$20 3 ton. Wheat Bran: 20@25c. 3 bushe: \$20 8 ton. Corn Bran: 17c. per bushef: \$15@\$18 \$ ton.

By Telegraph. NEW-YORK.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Colton irregular and nomin-1; uplands, 10%; Orleans, 10 3-16; sales, 817
bales. Flour dull, and 5@10e, lower; superfine
Western and State, \$4.40@\$4.90, closing dult;
southern flour dult; common to fair extrit, \$560
\$5.75; good to choice extra. \$5.80@\$7.75.
Wheat heavy and ic, lower; \$1.19@\$1.28 for ungraded spring; \$1.46@\$1.47 for white State; \$1.41
for No. 1 white. Corn %@1c, lower, and moderately active at a decline: \$5650c, for ungraded western mixed; 49%@56c, for yellow western; 54%@
55%c, for round yellow; 50%c, for poor white western. Outs without decided change. Coffee—Rio
ern. Outs without decided change. Coffee—Rio 55%c. for round yellow; 50%c. for poor white western. Onto without decided change. Coffee-Rio unchanged, with moderate business. Sugar quiet and firm; 71%67%c. for fair to good refining; refined drm and fairly active; 94,69%c. for standard A. Molasses unchanged. Rice in moderate request, and without change in prices. Petroleum dull; refined, 11%c. Tallow steady. Rosin, 21,60,431,63. Turpentine quiet at 31c. Pork opened lower and closed firm; mess, \$10.20% \$10.30. Lard opened tower and closed beavy. Prime steems, \$7,32% \$7.37%, closing at \$7,37%c27.40. Whiskey dull at \$1.06%. Freights dull.

BALTIMORE. BALTIMORE, April 8.—Flour quiet and about steady: Howard-Street and western super. \$4.054.50; extra. \$4.75.25.50; family, \$5.75.2646.75; City Mills super. \$4.25.25.25.25; Rio brands, \$6.75; Patrisco family, \$7.75. 

CINCINNATI. CINCINNATI, April 8.—Flour dull and unsettled; family, \$5.35@\$6.50. Wheat dull and lower: red. \$1.15@\$1.18. Corn steady and in fair demand. \$1.15@\$1.18. Corn steady and in fair stemand. Oats in fair stemand and firm at 28@32c. Rye quiet at 60@62c. Barley dult: prime to choice spring, 47@53c. Pork nominally unchanged. Lard steady; current make. \$7; kettle, \$7.50@\$7.75. Burk-meats dult; shoulders, \$3.50@\$3.62\%; clear rib. \$5@\$5.12\%; clear stdes. \$5.20. Bacon quiet and steady; shoulders, \$4.37\%; clear rib. \$5.60\% \$5.62\%; clear sides, \$5.87\\%@\$6. Whiskey quiet and weak at \$1.04. Entter steady and in fair demand; choice. 23\%25c. Sugar firm and unchanged. Hogs dult; preking, \$3.55\%370; receipts, 2,083 head; chipments, 1,500 head.

LOUISVILLE. LOUISVILLE. April 8.—Flour dull; Ex'ra, \$3.75 (\$4; Family, \$4.25 (\$4.50. Corn in fair demand; white, 45c.; mixed, 42c. Wheat easier; red, \$1.15; amber and white, \$1.20 (\$1.22. Oats steady, Rye dull at 60c. Pork quiet and steady at \$10.25. Lard steady and in fair demand; choice leaf, theree, 7% (8c.; choice leaf, keg, \$5, 83.8c; clear, theree, quiet and steady; shoulders, 3% (3% c; clear rib) \$1.5c; clear sider, 5% c. Bacon-carce and firm; shoulders, 4½ (44.5c; clear sider, 5% c. Cotar rib) \$2.5c; clear sider, 5% c. Sugar-cared hams, 7% (9c. Whiskey quiet at \$1.04. Tobacco quiet and unchanged.

ST. LOUIS. ST. LOUIS, April S.—Flour weak; superfine fall \$4@\$4.15; ex ra fall, \$4.35@\$4.50. Wheat sharply declined and market demoralized; No. 3 red fall. iy declined and msrkel demoralized; No. 3 red fall, \$1.12\%\$1.12\%; No. 4 red fall, \$1.05: No. 2 spring, \$1.5\@\\$1.06 hid, according to location. Coru, 38\(\pmu\)\@ 38\(\pmu\)\cdots. Bye easier at 58\(\pmu\). Barkley dull; Canada. 9\(\pmu\)\cdots. Rye easier at 58\(\pmu\). Barkley dull; Canada. 9\(\pmu\)\cdots. Whi.key quiet at \$1.05. Pork—Jobbing, \$9.65, delivered. Lard dull. Bulkmeats dull; short-rib middles salable at \$4.75. Loose bacon easier; clear rib sides, \$5.50\(\pm\)\@\$5.57\(\pm\)\cdots clear sides, \$5.57\(\pm\). Cattle firmer; prime to choice native shipping steers, \$4.75\(\pm\)\@\$5.515; corn-fed Texans, \$3.50\(\pm\)\@\$5.50. Sheep strong and heavy; shipping, \$5.40\(\pm\)\@\$5.75. CHICAGO.

CHICAGO. CHICAGO. April 8.—Flour nominally unchanged. Wheat in fair demand and lower: No. 1 Chicago spring, \$1.11½; No. 2 Chicago spring, gilt edge, \$1.10: regular, \$1.08 cash and April, \$1.09%@ \$1.09% May, \$1.09% June; No. 3 Chicago spring, \$1.04@\$1.04%. Corn unsettled and active, but lower: strictly fresh. 40%c.; regular, 39%c. cash and April, 41%@41%c. May, 41%@42c. June. Oats in f.ir demand and lower; 22%c. cash and April, 23%c. May, 26%. June. Rye quiet and steady. Barley dull and lower at 41c. Pork active and lower; \$9.15 cash and April, \$9.22%@\$9.25 May, \$9.37%@\$9.40 June. Lard unsettled and generally lower;

89.10 cash and April, 49.22% (and generally lower; \$7.05 cash, \$7.10@\$7.12\(\frac{1}{2}\) May, \$7.15@\$7.17\(\frac{1}{2}\) June. Bulk-meats easier; shoulders, \$\frac{1}{2}\) Se; short clear, 5\(\frac{1}{2}\).

Receipts: Flour, 12.000 barrels; wheat, 61,000 bushels; corn, 259.000 bushels; oats, 27.000 bushels; ryc, 49.000 bushels; larley, 8,500 bushels; shipments: Flour, 10.000 barrels; wheat, 259.els: rye, 49,000 bushels: barley, 8,500 bushels. Shipments: Flour, 10,000 barrels; wheat, 259,000 bushels; corn, 174,000 bushels; oats, 9,000 bushels; rye, 34,000 bushels; barley, 2,900 bushels; Afternoon Board.—Wheat heavy and lower; 81,09% May, \$1,08% June. Corn dull and a shade lower; 41,041%c. May, 41%c. June. Oats firmer but not quotably higher. Pork dull, weak, and lower; \$9,15 May, \$9,30 June. Land dull, weak, and lower; \$7,07% May, \$7,12%, \$7,15 June. BALTIMORE LIVE-STOCK MARKET.

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BALTIMORE, April 8.—Beef cattle—The market shows but little if any change since last week; the very best. 5@5½c.; first quality, 4@5c.; medium, 3.45 te.; erdinary, 3@3½c.; the most sales were st 4.46.54c.; receipts, 946 head; sales, 980 head. Hog.—The prices have been well maintained and the trade moderate; quotations, 5@5½c.; receipts, 585 head. Sheep—The trade has been lairly active; prices 4@6½c.; receipts, 2.782. PHILADELPHIA CATTLE MARKET.

PHILADELPHIA, April 8—Cattle active: sales, 900 head: good to prime, 54@6c.; medium, 54 55c.; common. 44 25c. Sheep active: sales, 600 head; good to prime, 64@64c.; medium, 6

14 A 223 N F 1 N T 973, E. 4445 Nx . TATURE ALMANAC-APRIL 9, 1578. n rip 4..... 5:38 ( 6:26 Morning. 9:10

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By Telegraph. New York, April 8.—Arrived out: Bernhardt, Agnes, Bjarke, Vancouver, Brimiga, Norma, Gem, Bjorn. DENTISTS.

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